

THE WEATHER.
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High water 12:44 a. m. and 12:35 p. m.

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CONFESSION

NATHAN TELLS ALL HE KNOWS OF THE MYSTERY

Susan Geary's Last Letter, In Which She Tells of Illness

The following letter, in which she complains of illness, received from Susan Geary the day before the mutilated torso was found floating in Winthrop Harbor, is the last word her family had from the victim of suit case mystery:

Dear Mother: I have just arrived in Salem; have been sick with summer complaint and was not able to write before. Inclosed please find \$5, which I owe papa. He remembers me borrowing from him. Do not write until you hear from me. If any letters are forwarded to the house, keep them for me. Your loving
Love and kisses. ETHEL.

SUSAN GEARY, SUIT CASE VICTIM, AS DANCING GIRL IN "THE SHEPHERD KING."

Her work was highly regarded by the stage manager, and she had the reputation of being an earnest and serious minded girl, devoted to her art.

IN SUIT CASE CRIME

Sweetheart of Susan Geary Makes Statement to Pittsburg Police and Latter Claim Mystery Is Cleared, Though Declining to Give Details.

Special to the Boston American.

PITTSBURG, Oct. 30.—The Boston suit case mystery is a mystery no longer. Superintendent of Detectives McQuaide to-day secured a full statement from Morris Nathan, the murdered girl's sweetheart.

Superintendent McQuaide declines to reveal names, dates and place of residence of the perpetrator of the deed, but he said:

"Now that would be discourteous to the Boston police.

"THERE IS NO LONGER ANY MYSTERY. THE CASE IS NOW VERY CLEAR, AND THERE WILL BE SOMETHING DOING VERY SHORTLY."

(Further details of Nathan's story clearing up the suit case mystery will be printed in later editions of to-day's BOSTON AMERICAN.)

Arrest Follows Girl's Identification.

With the identification of the victim of the dress suit case murder as Miss Susan Geary of Cambridge, who was known on the stage as Ethel Durrell, and the arrest of her sweetheart, Morris Nathan, in Pittsburg, important steps have been taken toward the solution of the greatest mystery of crime that has ever confronted the police of this city.

The fact that the murdered girl, whose body was dismembered, packed in dress suit cases and thrown into the ocean and the Charles River, was an actress has heightened the interest in this remarkable crime.

The identity of the girl was made through three rings that were found on the right hand of the victim. This result came swiftly after the discovery of the second dress suit case, in which the legs and arms of the young woman had been carried to the river.

When the sea gave up the torso of the victim at Winthrop on September 21, the first knowledge of the crime became public. But there was nothing in the ghastly find that enabled the detectives to make any headway. On Friday the second dress suit case was found with the arms and legs, and strangely enough, three rings were left on the dead girl's fingers.

MOTHER WAS POSITIVE.

Mrs. Catherine Geary, the mother of the victim, had no hesitancy in declaring that the girl was her daughter when she saw the rings. She did not look at the dismembered remains. The head has not been found, and it is not necessary so far as the identification is concerned.

All of the detectives of Greater Boston are at work today trying to run down the doctor who was responsible for the death of the girl. It is known that a man of skill as surgeon cut the body in pieces. The police are not sure that it is the same.

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\$60,000 GONE; BANK CASHIER IS MISSING

By Boston American Special Wire. CHAMPAIGN, Ill., Oct. 30.—It is reported here that Cashier Langley of the First National Bank of Champaign absconded with \$60,000 of the bank's funds. W. H. Fairbanks, brother of C. W. Fairbanks, Vice-President of the United States, is president of the bank. The discovery was made today.

APPENDICITIS CURE BY SILVER

WASHINGTON, Oct. 30.—Consul General Guenther of Frankfurt, Germany, has reported to the Department of Commerce and Labor a successful treatment of appendicitis by means of "violet" silver solution, and by which method no surgical operation is necessary. Dr. Mosbrunner of Leukisch is the discoverer, and out of seventy-two cases he has treated only surgical operation was necessary in two.

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COMMANDER BOOTH NOT SERIOUSLY ILL
NEW YORK, Oct. 30.—At the head-

quarters of the Salvation Army it was stated today that the report that Commander Booth is ill with appendicitis is not correct. He is suffering. It was said from a slight indisposition and will be out again in a day or two.

YANKEE NAVAL CHIEF MOBBED IN CHINA

MARINES FIRE TWICE TO SAVE TRAIN AND SON—LATTER HELD AS HOSTAGE.

LONDON, Oct. 30.—A dispatch to the knocked the Admiral down in the mud and held Lieutenant Train as hostage. Forty American marines, who were landed as a rescue party, were attacked by the Chinese who tried to strangle the officers. The marines were obliged to fire twice. The Chinese officials refuse to restore the officers' guns, and supported the marines. The Chinese were active in the movement for exporting American goods, and in the midst of activity on the part of the officers, took away their guns, Japanese students.

Liquozone Free

Any sick person who has never used Liquozone should write The Liquozone Company, 480-484 Wabash Ave., Chicago. They will send you an order on your druggist for a 60-cent bottle free, if you will state the disease to be treated.

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CAR CRASHES INTO LOSTON AT CITY SQUARE

SAY CONSTITUTION IS FORCED FROM GZAR

Thrown from Rails by Falling Motor, Runs on Sleepers for 300 Feet.

NO ONE IN CAR INJURED

According to an old saw, things happen in threes. The Boston Elevated had its third accident in thirty-four hours a little before 6 o'clock last evening, and the passengers and employees of the road now have a cause to breathe easier.

The first car of a new train, bound from Dudley street for Sullivan square, left the track just as it was about to cross the street, and fell into the water. The car was empty, and the passengers were not injured.

No one was hurt, which the passengers can only be glad of. The car was not struck, the engine was not damaged, and the passengers were not injured.

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How Accident Happened. Mr. A. P. Pasho, superintendent of division of the Boston Elevated, who, incidentally, the elevated structure, said that the original cause of the accident was the striking of the car by the engine of the car.

2,000 PRESTS TO MAKE GIFT. PROVICENCE, R. I., Oct. 29. A vain and ostentatious priest, who is now in the cathedral in this city by 2,000 Catholic priests, and who is now in the cathedral in this city by 2,000 Catholic priests.

H. P. SHAW IS HURT BY HORSE. LENOX, Oct. 29. While out riding Herbert P. Shaw, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. Tracy Shaw of Boston, was struck by a horse.

CHRONIC DISEASES. I have been suffering from chronic diseases for many years, and I have tried many remedies, but I have not found any relief.

FREE CONSULTATION. Dr. James M. Solomon, on Beacon Hill, Boston, Mass., Office hours 10 to 12 a.m. and 5 to 7 p.m.

LOST AND FOUND. LOST—A small black dog, about 10 weeks old, with white spots on its chest and paws.

INFORMATION WANTED. ALL PRIVATE EVIDENCE, including letters, cards, and other documents, for sale or exchange.

830 BUYS SURREY. THE SURREY is a small, light, and comfortable car, with a top and a seat.

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BY ITS
CORPS
OF

EXPERTS

Dorchester has a team of pretty stocky players, and now that she has a suitable coach, may be able to round into a first-class team, although it is doubtful if she can defeat Somerville for league honors.



**LOU DILLON'S
RACING DAYS
ARE OVE**

To Lou Dillon, queen of the trotting scene, is to join the ranks of the equine matriarchs. Disappointed by her failure to race to the top, she has decided to give her son more training and to abandon racing after the watch in an attempt to lower her world's records.

Next in the trotting queen's line of descent is the stallion John A. McLean, who preceded her as the holder of amateur championships.

McLean's last year was in 1911. All horses recall her wonderful season. It began with a sensational win in the \$100,000 Futurity, and the mile trotting record held by Ceres was broken in the Spring. She came up her record-breaking heat at the same meeting in the Fall, over the mile and a half, and in the year she won a dirt shield, she trotted the mile in 2:10, also winning for Mr. Hillings the amateur championship of the United States, championed by E. E. Smathers.

McLean's last year was in 1912, and she is now to be bred and raised and to be mated to form at Memphis and to be sent to the stud at the Belmont racing beaten by Major Benjamin and the

**DAN HURLEY
MAY PLAY IN
INDIAN GAME**

This week will undoubtedly witness the return of fighters to active work on the Harvard football squad and it may be that Captain Harley will get into the practice so as to be able to play a part of the Indian game. With those two men getting back into line, the Crimson eleven should make rapid strides in development. This week and should present a much stronger front to the Indians than they did against Brown.

After the Brown game, the most apparent weakness of the Crimson team is the ends. Compared with the Brown end rushes, Critch and Macdonald looked second rate.

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...he does some pitching this season that no
...kind of average reveals.

For instance, Young pitched a twenty-
inning game against the Athletics. He es-
tablished a strikeout record for the season
by fanning fifteen men in nine innings. He
gave less free passes than any pitcher in
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HEARST'S BOSTON AMERICAN

WILLIAM RANDOLPH HEARST

80 AND 82 SUMMER ST., BOSTON, OCTOBER 30, 1905.

The Boys With the Roller Skates—the Boy With None

A Picture of Our Entire National Life, and of All Our Theories
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Two boys had a pair of roller skates between them. Each had his solitary roller skate on his right foot. The left foot he used as a pusher. He pushed hard and skated—one-footed—as well as he could.

But it was not much of a success, and what fun there was in it was spoiled by the sight of the first boy flying on eight wheels.

The fourth boy—poor outcast—had no roller skate at all. He tried to look contented, as he ran around on the poor, defective machinery that nature gave him. He managed almost to keep up with the one-skate boys, and he looked with pathetic longing at the boy with the two skates, a creature beyond his dreams of happiness.

They were simply four boys—one well off, two moderately well off, and the fourth, poor outcast—had no roller skate at all.

Those boys reproduced perfectly the "social and property classes" of which we talk so much. And they presented among themselves the everlasting "social problem" that keeps the wise men discussing and saying foolish things.

Take all the various "political schools" and "schools of political economy" and you can duplicate all their deep problems in the simple story of these four boys.

Suppose that the boys are IDEAS, first, by AN ANARCHIST; second, a brainless HATER OF NEW IDEAS, and third, a modern, sensible individual, believing that humanity can solve its problems BY USING ITS BRAINS.

The anarchist—foolish creature—would say:
"Outrageous, hideous, disgrace to heaven and earth!
"At once take away the skates from the boy that has two. And take away a skate from each of the two other boys.

"Make all four of them run around as nature made them—with no skates on at all. GET BACK TO NATURE. Read Rousseau. Does the roller skate exist in nature? No! Then take the skates away from all the boys.

"BE JUST."
The foolish person, disliking any new thought and wrongly believing himself a "conservative," would say:

"The boy with no skates has NO RIGHT to be envious.
"And the boy with one skate only has NO RIGHT to be dissatisfied.
"We should all be satisfied and happy with WHAT WE HAVE.

"Dissatisfaction is a sin. That scoundrel boy with his gloomy face is an enemy of society. He should be grateful that he has FEET, and can skip like the roe.

"The boy with one skate only should look up to the eight-wheeled boy and gladly admit his superiority. That boy with the two skates could not enjoy himself if EVERY boy had two skates. THINK OF HIS RIGHTS. Don't spoil his pleasure by making others as good as he is.

"LET THEM SAY AS THEY ARE."
"Don't preach discontent to those boys. Teach three of them to look up to the boy with the two skates. And force the boy with bare feet to look up to all three of the others.

"It is evident that Providence intended one boy to have two skates, other boys to have one skate each, and many boys to have none at all."

The third and sensible man says:
By all means, keep the boys from fighting. Keep them good friends, for quarrelling could not help matters.

"But help them to make plans that will ultimately give EACH OF THEM A PAIR OF SKATES—without hurting the boy that has a pair already.

"You, anarchist, are foolish and criminal to talk of taking the lucky boy's pair of skates from him. Those wheels are the product of scores of centuries of thinking by humanity. After about a thousand centuries we have produced a boy with eight wheels on his feet, flying around and enjoying himself.

"LET US KEEP HIM AS HE IS."
"Let us at the same time plan to make the other little fellows happier.

"Arrange for the bare-footed boy to get one skate now, anyhow, and a complete pair as soon as possible.

"Help the two one-skate boys to get another skate for each.

"Show them how THEY CAN GET SKATES FOR THEMSELVES, and tell them there is no need to rob the boy that has skates.

"Show the lucky boy that he will be really HAPPIER WHEN THE OTHER BOYS ARE AS WELL OFF AS HE IS.

"They will then be able to play many games, hockey, etc., compete in exciting fashion on a high plane of skill, and enjoy themselves hugely together.

"Let the less lucky boys begin to use, in honest effort, the force they now waste on jealousy, and make the luckiest boy take pride in helping the others along if he can."

Thus, kind friends, a sensible man, a brainless "conservative" and a dull-minded anarchist would talk to grown men of big and little fortune. The anarchist would deprive the prosperous of their good fortune—to make the poor feel better—that is idiotic.

The man "afraid of new ideas" would have human beings stagnate and take things as they come—for fear of disturbing some one's equanimity.

The sensible, modern man says:
"Let the prosperous man keep all that he has, NO MATTER HOW MUCH, IF HE CAME BY IT HONESTLY.

"Tell the less fortunate to be intelligently and HONESTLY DISSATISFIED, seeking ways of getting what they want fairly—not by confusion.

"We know that plenty of roller skates could easily be supplied for all the boys in the world—there is no lack of wood, or wheels, or leather. It is a mere question of manufacture and distribution.

"And we know perfectly well that there is plenty of property for all the world—plenty to eat, to wear, to use, or try to make the most of.

"It is all a mere question of arrangement and manufacture AND DISTRIBUTION.

"Already there are tens of millions really better off than was the richest man a few centuries ago.

"BECAUSE WE HAVE MADE REAL PROGRESS.
"Let us strive for further progress, realize that our task is to produce enough for all—not to confound one, or try to make the most of the other a poor, dull slave, contented with less than he needs."

That is the doctrine that this newspaper preaches.
The kindness of nature has given us an earth, a home, that can well take care of us all.

Let us be intelligently dissatisfied until all are provided for, and misery and the crime born of poverty and worry shall disappear from the earth. Let us use our brains and cultivate our big, round farm. Let us get, manufacture, distribute what we all need.

Let us not envy or hate each other. Not talk CRIMINALLY of taking what others have, or talk EQUALLY CRIMINALLY about the duty of millions to remain contentedly poor in a world that CAN GIVE ALL THE BOYS ROLLER SKATES and all the people material prosperity and the peace of mind that will mark the BEGINNING of real civilization.

WHEN THE WORLD IS YOUNG

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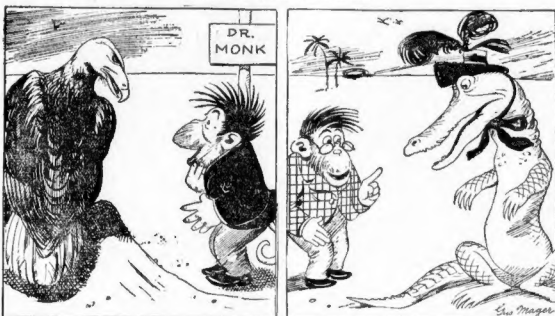


"Farewell, Melinda, farewell! I pass for me doom, but de memory of yer devotion will be void me in me darkest hour!"

"I'll give it and none of my business, I'll give it and none of my business, I'll give it and none of my business."

DR. MONK AND HIS PATIENTS

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BALD HEAD EAGLE—Say, Doctor, can't you produce just a few feathers on my cranium, so I won't look quite so old? I'm tired of having people call me "Old Baldy."

DR. MONK—You must keep out of the water more, my good woman.

MRS. OROCODILE—Why so, Doctor? DR. MONK—But see how your hands are chapping!

AT THE BUGVILLE THEATRE

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BUGS—Goodness! Isn't Mr. Worm enthusiastic over the show?

WHEN THE ANIMALS PLAY FOOTBALL

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BY GUS MAGER



MR. HIPPO GAINS 90 YARDS.

Are Automobile Scorchers Crazy?

By Rev. Thomas B. Gregory

I AM going to start out with on the power and sends it spinning the assumption that the array at the rate of seventy or eighty "scorchers" of every species miles an hour?

Is such a man in his right mind? Is it not the well-nigh universal opinion of mankind that outside points back to the insanity of the person committing it?

In order to justify myself in making this rather hard thing I say, "scorching" is to show what "scorching" is. Primarily, "scorching" is going very fast—as fast as you possibly can. To run, to drive your horse, or wheel, or auto, at a tremendous speed, at as great a speed as the circumstances will admit of, is "scorching."

Such is the truth, but not the whole truth. In other words, speeding, in and of itself, does not constitute "scorching."

The man who speeds his machine to save life or property, or to answer the call of some solemn duty, or to accomplish any one of a score of other purposes that might be mentioned, cannot be said to be "scorching."

The "scorchers" drives his machine simply for the sake of driving it. He is not going anywhere; he is on an errand, there is no one to be before him; he is simply speeding for the speed's own sake.

This fact, of itself, does not constitute "scorching," but it is a long way toward proving the truth of my claim that "scorching" is crazy.

But there is a further proof of the "scorchers" insanity—the risk that he takes, the jeopardy in which he places himself when he "scorches."

Thoroughly sane people never impel their lives upon such needless and sovereign sense of duty. It is as safe to say that sane people never voluntarily court death just for the sake of courting "scorching."

By a wise and beneficent arrangement of nature, the danger that would destroy us, is precious to us, and we feel in every fibre of our being, the perfect truth of the ancient words—"Self-preservation is the first law of nature."

This being so, what shall we think of those who deliberately jump into a high-power automobile, turns out the undercarriage, and sends it spinning the assumption that the array at the rate of seventy or eighty "scorchers" of every species miles an hour?

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In order to justify myself in making this rather hard thing I say, "scorching" is to show what "scorching" is. Primarily, "scorching" is going very fast—as fast as you possibly can. To run, to drive your horse, or wheel, or auto, at a tremendous speed, at as great a speed as the circumstances will admit of, is "scorching."

Such is the truth, but not the whole truth. In other words, speeding, in and of itself, does not constitute "scorching."